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## **AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated June 16, 2006 and having a shortened statutory period for reply set to expire on September 16, 2006. The Applicant respectfully requests a **three-month extension** of the term for response from the present term of September 16, 2006 to a new term of **Monday on**December 18, 2006.

Also enclosed is a Request for a Three-Month Extension of Time, thereby extending the end date of the current term to December 18, 2006, accompanied by the authorization to charge the fee of \$510 (small entity) to Deposit Account No.

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**12-0400**. No other fee is believed to be required, but, if this is not the case, please charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-0400.

Applicant submits the following responsive amendment in the above-identified application. Applicant believes this amendment places the application in better condition for allowance.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.